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Co-Lin out front...

By Dr. Billy B. Thames

Community Colleges, Where America Goes To College

Community colleges, where America goes to college! Have you studied that phrase before? If not, you should because over 63,000 Mississippians chose one of Mississippi's fifteen public community junior colleges last year. Over 96% were Mississippi residents seeking quality education, close to home, at an affordable cost. Our community colleges today are for everyone; the new high school graduate, young professionals, housewives, second career seekers, senior citizens, the working man and woman and many others.

When you look at reasons they are choosing the two-year college, you find such things as location, cost, flexible schedules, quality of teaching faculty, facilities and staff that is eager to serve them. If you have not visited a two-year college campus in recent years, we invite you to do so.

Copiah-Lincoln Community College has been a leader in the community and junior college field since 1928. The Co-Lin graduate can be found in all fields of work and we are proud of them. Our academic teams have been as successful as our athletic teams. Enrollment has increased by leaps and bounds in recent years. We invite you to come see us today.

Dean B.F. Hunter

Dean Emeritus, B.F. Hunter, was recently in the King's Daughters hospital recovering from gall bladder surgery. He is now at home and I am sure he would appreciate a card or note from those of you who knew him so well during your college days. Dean and Mrs. Hunter live at 116 Hillcrest Drive, Brookhaven, MS 39601.

Legislation

The Mississippi Legislature is nearing the mid-point of this session. Several bills that relate to the two-year college are still alive in both chambers. You can rest assured that we will be following this legislature. Early in February, we mailed over 500 cards to former alumni to ask them to support us in our legislative efforts by contacting your senator or representative.

During the current year, the fifteen two-year colleges have secured $72,695,877 from the State of Mississippi for Fiscal year 1991. We are requesting $82,810,935 plus $14,862,793 for teacher salaries. During the last three years, the enrollment at the two-year college has increased over 20%.

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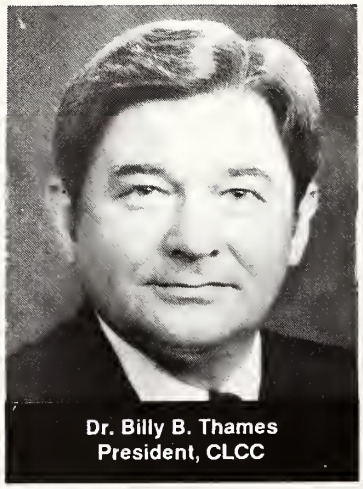


Dr. Billy B. Thames
President, CLCC

ALUMNI CAMPAIGN CONTINUES

Over $180,000 has been pledged or given by alumni in Copiah-Lincoln's Investment in Excellence Campaign.

Campaign workers met during homecoming to officially kick-off the drive.

Nearly $430,000 has been pledged or given since the campaign started in the summer of 1988. This total includes monies from the Board of Trustees/ Foundation Board Campaign of $155,000; the Faculty/Staff Campaign of $90,437; and the soon-to-begin Seven County Area Campaign.

"Alumni were mailed a letter, pledge card, and question and answer brochure in the initial mail-out. Second letters were sent out in the mid-February," states Burlian Walker, Executive Director Foundation/Alumni Affairs. "Pledges continue to come in. We solicit the help of Co-Lin's future, " he adds.

"We lack less than $20,000 reaching our challenge goal of $200,000 and we hope to soon reach that level and really go well-over the goal. We still are anxious to hear from a few remaining campaign workers and others who have not returned pledge cards," he said.

Dr. Kenneth Walley of Jackson, Class of 1968 and overall campaign chairman, states, "We can reach the goal only through the help and generosity of Co-Lin's alumni."

Mrs. Jodie Kyzar George of Jackson, Class of 1937, is honorary campaign chairman. Over 100 alumni and former students are working in the campaign.

"The base goal of $100,000 was actually reached before the campaign got underway," Walker states. "But our alumni, we hope,will put us way over our challenge goal."

By early summer the Seven-County Area Campaign will crank up. An advisory committee for the campaign will be appointed during March, Walker notes.

Already $5,300 has been pledged in the Seven-County Area campaign. "We will be contacting businesses and industries in the district during the campaign."

Also, this summer the Foundation's Campaign will begin. Several proposals will be submitted to foundations across the nation, many seeking matching funds.

The Foundation Board of Directors will meet in late April and are expected to approve a benefit golf tournament to be set later this spring. The tournament proceeds will go to the expenses of the foundation.

Alumni workers in the Investment in Excellence fund-raising campaign were present for Co-Lin's homecoming activities. They are, first row, left to right, Virgil Norris, Natchez; Ollie McCray Whitehead, Brandon; Sonya W. Cowen and Merle S. Furlow, both of Wesson; Andy Bateman, Hazlehurst; and Thelma Hemphill Jones, Bude. Second row, left to right, Renee Smith, Clinton; Dr. Bill Costley, El Dorado, Ark.; Carmel Carlisle, Morton; Nora Berch, Albert Berch, and Earl Stringer, all of Wesson. Third row, left to right, Scott Smith, Clinton; Helen Dowling, Brookhaven; Holmes Carlisle, Morton; Wesley Reeves, Jackson; and Steve Wells, Brookhaven. Fourth row, left to right, Mamye Prevost, Hazlehurst; Margaret Ewing Thomas, Jackson; Mary Anna Beall and Sam E. Beall, both of Wesson; Otis Bufkin, Clinton. Fifth row, left to right, Jodie Kyzar Greer George, Jackson; Rudolph Bell and L. V. Bell, both of Crystal Springs; Sammie Hartzog and Fred Hartzog, both of Jackson. Sixth row, left to right, Wilma Albritton Boggan, Moss Point; Bradley Smith, Wesson; and Wiley Ainsworth, Magee. Seventh row, left to right, Kenneth Gilbert, Baton Rouge, La.; Tom Kelly, Dr. Kenneth Walley, and Scott Ratcliff, all of Jackson. A large number of campaign workers could not attend.

HOMECOMING 1989

Alumni return from 14 states to Wesson

Fourteen states were represented by alumni of Copiah-Lincoln Community College during homecoming festivities on Oct. 7. They included residents from Mississippi, California, Louisiana, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee, Texas, Oklahoma, Florida, Illinois, Maryland, New York, Arkansas, and Virginia.

Burlian Walker, executive director of the foundation and alumni affairs, said, "It was a tremendous day. Many alumni who hadn't been here in years returned to the campus, and we had a large crowd."

"I heard several comments on how the college has changed over the years and on the homecoming activities," he added.

The day began with registration in the Henley Building and with class reunions of 1939, 1949, 1959, 1969, and 1979. Other groups holding reunions were the 1929 high school class, and the 1939 football team and the 1949 basketball team.

At the alumni luncheon, the Alumnus of the Year, Dr. Eddie Thompson of Jackson, and Ann. H. Hawkins of Brookhaven, were honored, along with the Outstanding Instructors of the Year, Sharon Alexander and Evins Henderson.

Five former college athletes were inducted into the College's Athletic Hall of Fame. They are Frank Garner of Andalusia, Ala.; Marvin Lee Hutson of Memphis, Tenn., and a Brookhaven native; Dewitt Shivers of Longboat Key, Fla.; Marion Taylor "Tick" Tatum of Thibodaux, La.; and Fred "Rip" Taylor of Oxford.

Elected to head the Copiah-Lincoln Alumni Association for 1989-90 were Rosemary Parker of Brookhaven, president; Kay Rayborn of Jayess, vice-president; and Susan Berry of New Hebron, secretary.

Ronny Smith of Brookhaven will preside as president for 1989-1990 over the Athletic Alumni Association, with Wade Alexander of Wesson as vice president and Charlotte Creely of Brookhaven as secretary.

The graduates of the Last Decade (GOLD) Club elected Lynn Jarrett of Meadville as president; Stacey Reid of Centreville, vice-president; and Chip Holbrook of Magee, secretary.

Recognized during the luncheon as the alumnus traveling the greatest distance was Rubye Brewer Hall of Newport Beach, Calif. The oldest alumnus in attendance was John Terry of Hazlehurst and Jimmy Lee Smith of Wesson who are 87 years old.

The largest family at the homecoming was the Allen family, and the largest reunion group was the Class of 1979 with 25 present.

Also, three members of the Co-Lin Class of 1922 were present. They were Eunice Yawn Hoyland of Natchez; Lolita Conerly Terry of Columbia; and Thelma Ashley Litton of Hazlehurst.

Co-Lin organizations winning the homecoming display competition were Vocational-Industrial Clubs of America (VICA), first place; Phi Beta Lambda, second place; and Wolf Tales/Trillium, third place.

Walker fills state position

Burlian Walker, Executive Director of the Foundation and Alumni Affairs, has been elected secretary-treasurer of the Mississippi Chapter of the National Society of Fund Raising Executives for 1990.

NSFRE, composed of fund-raising executives in all walks of life, meets monthly in Jackson.

Other NSFRE officers include James C. Lewis, vice-president for development, Millsaps College, president; Ernest A Wells, Jr., CFRE, director of development, Salvation Army, vice-president/programs; Jere Nichols, field service manager, American Red Cross, vice-president/membership; Dr. T.J. Robinson, vice-president of university relations, Jackson State University, vice-president/public affairs; Ellen Davis, assistant director of alumni affairs, University Medical Center, vice-president/communications; and Barbara Barrett, director of the Jackson Zoo, chairman, Philanthropy Day.

Named as Alumnus of the Year during Copiah-Lincoln Community College's homecoming were Ann Hawkins of Brookhaven, center, and Dr. Eddie Thompson of Jackson, right. Hawkins is currently serving as vice president for marketing at State Bank and Dr. Thompson is the state epidemiologist. Presenting the two honorees with plaques is Pat Hennigton of Brookhaven, Co-Lin alumni association president.

Alton Ricks honored upon retirement

by Nancy Hamilton

Alton Ricks was honored December 1 with a retirement dinner held in the Henley Cafeteria on the Copiah-Lincoln Community College Wesson campus.

Ricks, who has been affiliated with the local college since Oct. 1, 1955, retired on December 15 as dean of students.

The "This Is Your Life" type of program included an invocation by Dr. Howell Garner. A slide presentation by Mike McIntyre showed every facet of Ricks' life from childhood to the present. Vance Brown, a former classmate who played on a basketball team with Ricks, spoke of those days. Ken McCreary, representing the Boy Scouts of Troop No. 125 and the Student Government Association, covered those areas and told how much Ricks meant to each group. Ricks has been scoutmaster since about 1963.

M.K. Turk, basketball coach at the University of Southern Mississippi and formerly of Co-Lin, was also present to recall sports memories. Dr. Billy Thames pointed out the many ways that Ricks has successfully served as a faculty member. His help and influence as an active member of the Decell Memorial Methodist Church of Wesson was outlined by B.B. Hunter, former college dean and fellow church member.

Around 150 guests were present for the retirement dinner, including Ricks' family, neighbors, close friends and Eagle Scouts.

A valuable gift was presented to him by the Co-Lin faculty and staff.

Burlian Walker served as committee chairman for the dinner party which honored a gentleman who is an important part of every phase of life in the Wesson community.

The college board of trustees also honored Ricks at their dinner meeting on December 7 with a special plaque, a resolution and a gift.

Alton M. Ricks

M.K. Turk

B.F. Hunter, retired dean

by Liz Byrd

Alton Ricks, dean of students at Copiah-Lincoln, has retired.

Ricks had been a member of the Co-Lin family for 34 and a half years. Ricks came to Co-Lin as a basketball player from 1946-1948. He then attended Delta State University and received his master's degree from the University of Mississippi.

In 1955, Dr. James Ewing, President of Co-Lin at this time, convinced Ricks, then at New Albany, to join Co-Lin's faculty as a basketball coach. Ricks then served as basketball coach for 11 years; director of student affairs for three years; counselor for six years; and served as dean of students for the past 14 and a half years.

Ricks plans to enjoy his retirement to its fullest extent. He commented, "I plan to do my own thing- so to speak."

He said he intends to go hunting, fishing, camping, and traveling. He also plans to visit his 98-year-old mother residing in North Mississippi more frequently than he does now.

After Dean Ricks retired, Coach Ray Ishee became dean of students. Ricks feels Ishee works well with the students and should be able to handle the job quite efficiently.

Ricks left Ishee a demanding job, and as with all areas of education, there is always room for improvemnt.

Ricks said that career information needs to be updated, that new and improved parking spaces need to be constructed, and that married housing facilities also need looking at.

Student Services, of which Ishee is in charge, strives to be an informal environment in which students can receive direction in various aspects of their college life.

Ricks said he's had the best job on campus mainly because of the people that compose Student Services.

"With people like Russell Ray, Judy Case, Donna Cunningham, Mae Brown, Beverly Dubois, Ray Ishee, the dormitory mothers, and all of the people of Student Services, who could go wrong?" he said.

Ricks feels that he has received many benefits from Co-Lin and that the college has been very good to him and his family.

Dean Ricks has lived in Wesson on Mt. Zion Road since 1965 and will continue to do so after his retirement. He said he will be living too close to Co-Lin to be able to miss it and its activities.

The Natchez Literary Celebration

presents

The Natchez Trace: Its Literary Legacy

Natchez, Mississippi
June 7-9 , 1990

Sponsored by the Natchez Campus of Copiah-Lincoln Community College

The Natchez Trace: Its Literary Legacy

REGISTRATION FORM

Name(s) and Title(s) as Preferred on Name Tag(s) _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Home Telephone Number _____ Work Telephone Number _____

Total package includes all 10 lectures; refreshment breaks; picnic; Natchez Trace tour of the Grand Village of the Natchez Indians, Emerald Mound, Mount Locust, and Brandon Hall with bus transportation; tours and receptions at Rosalie, Melrose, and Stanton Hall; autograph party; Franklin Street tours; "The Robber Bridegroom"; and banquet with after-dinner presentation.

Number of total packages @ $200 each: _____

Preferred night for "The Robber Bridegroom": _____

For the Natchez Trace tour, will you ride the bus? _____

Complete daily packages are available @ $90 each.

Day preferred: _____

Number of packages: _____ If ordering the Friday package will you ride the bus for the Natchez Trace tour? _____

Tickets to individual lectures are $15 each. Tickets to tours, meals, and entertainments range from $10 - $35. Please call or write for ticket prices or other information. Send check with this form to Natchez Literary Celebration, Copiah-Lincoln Community College, P.O. Box 2282, Natchez, MS 39121. For information call 1-800 647-6742 or (601) 442-7341. Rooms are available at The Natchez Eola Hotel, 1-800-888-9140, and at other Natchez hotels and bed-and-breakfast inns.

Welty to highlight festival in Natchez

by Kelley Cook

Famed Mississippi author Eudora Welty and a host of other American writers and scholars will lead an educational and cultural festival in Natchez, Miss., in June called "The Natchez Trace: Its Literary Legacy."

The festival, sponsored by Copiah-Lincoln Community College in Natchez and financially assisted by the National Endowment for the Humanities through the Mississippi Humanities Council, will take place June 7-9.

The event will provide 10 scholarly lectures and panel discussions as well as numerous educational and social events including the formal dedication of National Historic Landmark, Melrose, as the first property to be acquired for America's newest park, the Natchez National Historical Park.

Director of proceedings will be William Winter of Jackson, former governor of Mississippi and longtime president of the Mississippi Department of Archives and History's board of trustees.

Literary experts are:

* Eudora Welty of Jackson, Pulitzer Prize-winning author of eight novels and dozens of short stories. Welty will read from her story "A Worn Path," set on the Trace, at the event's concluding banquet.

* Dr. D. Clayton James of The Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va. James, a Natchez native, author of Antebellum Natchez and an authority on Douglas MacArthur, will speak on "The Role of the Natchez Trace in the Development of the Nation."

* Dr. Robert V. Remini of the University of Illinois. According to "The New York Times" Remini is the world's foremost authority on Andrew Jackson. He will speak on "Andrew Jackson's Adventures on the Natchez Trace."

* Dr. John D. W. Guice of the University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg. Guice is author of numerous books and articles and is currently writing a definitive book on the Natchez Trace. His topic is "A Trace of Violence?"

* Jack Elliott of the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson. Elliott, who determined the exact site of the Fort of Natchez in 1988, will speak on "The Fort of Natchez and the Beginning of the Natchez Trace."

* Dr. Kit Carter of The Mississippi University for Women, Columbus, and Dr. Robert Jenkins of Mississippi State University, Starkville. Both are on the board of The Mississippi Historical Society and are frequent lecturers and contributors to scholarly journals. Their topic is "Minorities and Their Use of the Natchez Trace."

* Dr. Douglas Lewis, curator of the National Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C. Lewis is a member of the board of the National Trust for Historical Places, will speak on "The Trace of the Old Southwest in 'The Birds of America': J.J. Audubon's Drawings and Writings from the Natchez District."

* Dale Smith, chief interpreter of the Natchez Trace Parkway and The National Park Service, Tupelo. Smith will present a slide show about the Parkway entitled "The Natchez Trace: A Treasure for America."

* Dr. Don H. Doyle, Chairman of the history department, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn. Doyle, a noted author of American History, will speak on "The Mississippi Frontier in Faulkner's Fiction."

* Dr. Margaret Walker Alexander, former professor at Jackson State University, Jackson. Among her books are Jubilee and most recently, Richard Wright: Daemonic Genius. Walker's topic is "Natchez in Southern American Literature with Emphasis on Richard Wright."

* Dr. Michael Kreyling of Vanderbilt, Dr. Suzanne Marrs of Millsaps College, Jackson, and Dr. Peggy Prenshaw of USM. All are well-known authorities on Eudora Welty and have published widely. They will speak on "The Natchez Trace in Eudora Welty's Fiction."

On June 8, the formal dedication of the antebellum mansion, Melrose, by Park Service Officials as the premier acquisition of the Natchez National Historical Park is expected to attract state and national dignitaries. The Mississippi Symphony Orchestra will perform.

Another festival event on June 7 is the dedication of the museum house, Rosalie, as a National Historic Landmark. Rosalie is owned by the Mississippi Society Daughters of the American Revolution.

In addition to lectures and dedications, the literary event will offer a tour of the southern end of the Natchez Trace.

Featured stops are at the Grand Village of the Natchez Indians; Emerald Mound; Brandon Hall; and Mount Locust, where refreshments and live demonstrations of historical everyday activities will be provided.

Other events include performances of Welty's "The Robber Bridegroom" by the Natchez Little Theatre, a picnic overlooking the Mississippi River, receptions at Rosalie, Melrose and National Landmark, Stanton Hall, and an autograph party for all lecturers.

The celebration is being presented in cooperation with the Natchez National Historical Park Foundation, the Historic Natchez Foundation, the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, the National Park Service, the Natchez Trace Parkway Association, the Natchez Little Theatre, the Judge George W. Armstrong Library, the Natchez Historical Society, the Natchez Pilgrimage Tours and other groups.

Cost for a full 3-day package ticket is $200, which includes 10 lectures, some meals, tours, entertainment, and transportation to events held away from the hotel. Tickets are also available for per-day packages of $90 each as well as single event tickets ranging in price from $10 to $15 to $35.

Tickets and further information may be obtained by writing to Natchez Literary Celebration, Copiah-Lincoln Community College, Natchez Campus, P.O. Box 2282, Natchez, MS 39121, or by telephoning 601-442-7241 or 800-647-6742.

J.C., Annie Redd: 1989

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Redd of Jackson were honored as 1989's Mississippi Humanitarians of the Year in a gala affair at the Ramade Inn Renaissance.

Dr. Billy Thames, Co-Lin's president, was one of 23 Mississippi leaders to serve as co-host for the event, sponsored annually by the Epilepsy Foundation of Mississippi.

Previous recipients are Sister Josephine Therese Uhll, O.P., 1984; Alvin P. Flannes, 1985; Archie Manning, 1986; Mary Ann Mobley, 1987; and Jerry Clower, 1988.

Chairpersons for the affair were Bob Pittman, president, Mississippi Economic Council; Jack R. Reed, Tupelo; and Dr. Donald W. Zacharias, president, Mississippi State University.

Information from the program read:

The Epilepsy Foundation is honoring for the first time in 1989 a couple as its Humanitarians of the Year. The joint contributions of J.C. and Annie Ingram Redd are so mutually intertwined and lovingly shared, it is only appropriate that equal recognition be extended.

Mr. Redd is a native of Lincoln County and his wife of Yazoo City. Their lives and meager fortunes were united on May 8, 1937, when they were married in Forest.

When Annie Ingram married Jabus Constantine Redd, he was superintendent of education in south Pike County. She was an English and Latin teacher in the nearby Progress School with a background of class valedictorian and a graduate of Belhaven College. J.C. was the son of a cotton farmer whose austere beginnings engendered a burning desire for an education and the rewards of hard work.

State Economic Council President Bob Pittman authored a biography of J.C. Redd entitled "Good for What's Bugging You," published in 1982. Throughout the chapters of this book are dozens of references to the persistence and strong faith that would lead to future success.

From his initial enrollment as a freshman at Copiah-Lincoln Junior College in 1930, until the taking his master's degree in entomology from his beloved Mississippi State University in 1944, J.C. performed all the feats which are legendary to so many during the depression to complete his education. He drove a school bus, swapped sweet potatoes for tuition (at Co-Lin), milked and cleaned up after cows, sold milk, cracked eggs, graded tomatoes, cut hair, taught school, coached basketball, served as school superintendent, was a chemist at Columbus Air Force Base, spent time as State entomologist and in 1946, organized Redd Pest Control in Jackson.

There was some help along the way in those early days as there always is when experience and ambition meet.

There was a father, Levi Redd, who passed on to J.C. his strong faith in God; Dr. V.G. Martin, whose cows provided milk which was sold for tuition money at State. Former Copiah-Lincoln President and U.S. Congressman Russell Ellzey opened the door at Mississippi State. MSU Department of Bacteriology Chairman H.H. Harned provided the pricipalship at Progress High and a $100-a-month salary, and G. H. Alford was there with the advice and confidence builders the new professional needed to stick it out as school superintendent.

When Mr. Redd was preparing to open his own business, it was Dr. Clay Lyle at State who placed him in charge of a statewide rodent control program that opened the door to the future.

Mr. REdd retired from the day-to-day operations of the eight-state pest control firm on January 1, 1978. However, as we shall see, this retirement was in name only, as it gave him more time to devote to his higher goals - the betterment of the people of his state.

In the field for education, Mr. Redd has been active for many years in all phases of alumni work at Mississippi State, where he is a charter member of the Foundation. He is past chairman, a charter member and present board member of the MSU Developmental Foundation. He is also a member of the Board for Directors of Abilene Christian University in Texas, where he has, for many years, made scholarships available (as well as Mississippi State, Co-Lin and Jackson State), for deserving youth. He is past-president of both Mississippi State and Copiah-Lincoln Alumni Associations.

In other educational areas he is a past board member and vice president of the Jackson Municipal Separate School System and the Mississippi School Board of Education.

Mr. and Mrs. Redd have been longtime supporters of Children's Home activities in Mississippi and have been personally involved in this work since the early 1950's. Mr. Redd is co-founder and a past director of the Sunnybrook Children's Home in Madison County and the Mississippi Christian Foundation and a member of the Board of Directors of the Hope Hospitality House, a family center for cancer patients of Jackson.

The Redds were primarily responsible for work which led to the establishment of Christian student centers at the University of Mississippi, University of Southern Mississippi and later Mississippi State. Together with Mrs. Redd, he furnished the first house for the Candlelighters as the outpatient's home for people who had relatives being treated. This was the forerunner to the Ronald McDonald House in Jackson.

His civic contributions include past-president of the Downtown Kiwanis Club and Lieutenant Governor of Kiwanis International, Division 5. He is a member and past director of the Jackson Chamber of Commerce and served for two years as president and as a chairman of the Community and Organizational Services Section of the Mississippi Economic Council as chairman of MEC. He has been chairman of the Mississippi Better Business Bureau and is past-president of the Jackson Metropolitan Boy's Club.

Redd Pest Control was the first sponsor of Little League Baseball in Jackson. Mr. Redd and former partner G.L. Edwards organized this youth-oriented

Mississippi Humanitarians

activity in Jackson and the Servan Club to run its operations. Mr. Redd has received numerous awards and honors for his distinguished contributions to Mississippi citizens. Among these are the Albert Gallatin Award for outstanding small business leadership, the Service to Humanity Award given by Mississippi College, Alumnus of the Year Awards from both Co-Lin and MSU, the Outstanding Citizen's Award for the Betterment of Jackson, the Distinguished Service Award presented by the National Pest Control Association, the Exceptional Service Award given by the Jackson Municipal School System, and the Friends of Education Award presented by the Mississippi Association of Educators.

"Mr. Redd was honored on J.C. Redd Day and was 'Governor for a Day'..."

Mr. Redd was honored on J.C. Redd Day and was "Governor for a Day" in ceremonies headed by then Governor Cliff Finch on April 27, 1978. Throughout the long years of active service, J.C. drew strength and confidence from his affiliation with the Church of Christ and from his family. He has been a Sunday School teacher and served as an elder of different congregations. His wife and three children - Richard, Connie and Ellen, have joined with the church in holding the beacon of the human spirit for this man of vision.

J.C. and Annie assisted with the college education of over 30 children in Mississippi and at Abilene Christian. Many of these children were of minority extraction. Scholarships continue at ACU, Mississippi State and other institutions for the education of the eager student unable to full pay his own way. This was true of children's home youth as well.

Redd Pest Control is a nationally known corporation. Both Mr. and Mrs. Redd and son Richard, the company's present CEO, have taken a certain amount of gentle kidding over the years about their "bug and termites;" but these varmints have provided great good to a great many and still do. If the Redds are "pests," we need more pestering.

J.C. and Annie Redd discovered success many years ago. In separate byways of Mississippi, they grew up on the old virtues - Faulkner's verities of labor and honesty and integrity of purpose. Their rewards are the riches of achievement - of providing educational opportunities to bright scholars, of homes for lonely children, of inspiration to the small (and large) businessman and example to their children.

Mississippi's 1989 Humanitarians of the Year are a homegrown success story. Love and respect are their gift and legacy. When you have read this and taken the time to consider the influence of this couple on our State's progress, you might wish to drop them a line, or if time is tight "Call the Redd Man." He and his family are ready to serve.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Redd

Information in the above biographical sketch was obtained from the publication, "Good for What's Bugging You" by Bob Pittman (1982), and from conversation with Richard L. Redd.

Named as Outstanding Instructors of the Year at Copiah- Lincoln Community College during homecoming festivities were, from left to right, Evins Henderson, auto mechanics instructor, and Mrs. Sharon Alexander, English instructor. Congratulating the honorees is Dr. Howell Garner, Co-Lin's dean of instruction.

Co-Lin out front...*(continued from inside front cover)*

New Program

During the next school year, we will start a new program entitled "Career Beginnings". Career Beginnings will focus on tenacious students who have average grades... not those who are the academically brightest and not those at high risk of dropping out. The program seeks to help them make intelligent, realistic choices that lead to a fuller realization of their potential. Typically, these students are enrolled in this program for approximately nineteen months. This begins during the first semester of their junior year and runs through their senior year.

District schools will have an opportunity to apply for participation in this program. Applications are due by the end of February, 1990.

The main focus of the program is to identify these special "tenacious" students and match them with a mentor. We will be seeking mentors and district industry that will be interested in helping to finance this program and offer summer employment for some of these students.

If you have questions, you should contact Dr. Howell C. Garner, Dean of Instruction, on the Wesson Campus.

Sports

Congratulations to both the men's and women's basketball teams upon completion of each season.

Coach Paul Johnson's Wolves ended the season with a 19-10 record, while Coach Gwyn Young's Lady Wolves completed the season with 25 wins and only 3 defeats.

The Wolves fell to Gulf Coast in the south semi-finals, and then defeated state champion Hinds in the Region 23 opening round before again falling to Gulf Coast.

The Lady Wolves won the South crown, lost to Northeast, 82-81, for the state title, and fell to Northwest's Lady Rangers for the regional title.

Foundation

The Campaign for Excellence continues to gain momentum as we enter the alumni and seven-county phase. The total pledges and donations have reached $430,000.

We encourage our alumni and friends to join us as we develop the endowment program to insure future growth and development of Copiah-Lincoln. Please contact Mr. Burlian Walker if you have questions or would like someone to visit with you.

Homecoming 1990

Homecoming 1990 has been scheduled for Saturday, October 6, 1990. We will host Southwest Community College. The schedule for the homecoming activities can be found in this issue of the Colinian.

Fax Machine

The college has installed fax machines on both the Wesson and Natchez campuses. For your information, the numbers are as follows: Wesson (601) 643-2366 and Natchez (601) 446-9967.

Computers become a way of Co-Lin life

by Elizabeth "Liz" Byrd

With the vast growth of computer technology, there has been an increase in the use of personal computers.

Not only are students using these machines to edit material and check spelling, but professors and instructors are also turning to them for aid.

Many of Copiah-Lincoln's instructors have taken advantage of the seemingly never-ending benefits of the personal computer.

Dr. Doug Schexnayder, of Co-Lin's science department, has been interested in computers since 1978. Around 1986, Dr. Schexnayder purchased and Apple IIC as his first computer, and now he has a Macintosh, that he seems to be crazy about.

The science department also has a Macintosh owned by four instructors: Ron Williamson, Donnie Lawson, Dr. Phyllis Lanier and Dr. Doug Schexnayder. These instructors also have computers at home for their personal use.

In the science department, the computer is used to keep up with student's grades, so that they can be posted for quick reference.

Dr. Schexnayder said, "After every test, students know their test scores and averages up to the minute. This helps prevent any misunderstandings that may occur."

The program that stores the grades is called Brain Child Grade.

There is also Microsoft Works, which is a 3 in 1 data base, spread sheet, and word processor, having some graphics (page capabilities). The science department inventory is kept using Microsoft Works data base.

Also, the computer can be used to make overhead transparencies which prove to be very helpful in the classroom and which enhances teaching.

Now, with the new textbooks, there are test discs with two or three thousand questions. Teachers can design a test from these "test generators" or use them just for review purposes.

Dr. Schexnayder uses the computer for his physical science class and generates a sample test to give the students somewhat of a "comfort zone."

All of the exams, handouts, outlines, programs, and other department materials are prepared on computer. There are different size print and fonts (styles). Dr. Schexnayder said, "What you produce can be produced with a 'zing' that you can do now--instead of struggling with it all night."

The National Education Association has a goal that every teacher in America from kindergarten to college will have a computer by the year 2000.

"The computer makes a tremendous difference, because in education you are always revising the revision," said Schexnayder.

"The personal computer is a great tool for any teacher, because you can create just about anything and storing is so easily done that revisions are made within a matter of seconds," he added.

Edna Earle Crews, English instructor and advisor of Microcosm literary journal, finds computers very helpful in her line of work.

She uses computers in the classroom and Learning Center to introduce her students to the Professional Write program that goes along with the Scott-Foresman English Handbook.

Crews said, "Students like this simple and easy-to-use program because they are able to produce typed copies without all of the drudgery of writing. Some students have even learned to compose directly on the computer, after becoming comfortable with it."

The Microcosm staff has a computer in the English department office, the AT, which is much faster than the computers in the Learning Center and computer classes. It is used for letters sent to high school students and for "Bits and Pieces," which is the inhouse publication that the Microcosm staff produces.

There's also a desk-top publishing program that is very helpful in the production of Microcosm.

Crews finds the computer's ability to copy from one disk to another very efficient because it reduces some of the typing processes. Also, the "cutting and pasting" process is made easier with the computer.

"Sometimes, many endings can be beginnings and beginnings can be endings," said Crews.

Crews commented, "It's an interesting idea to turn off the screen and free-write keeping your fingers on the corrected keys. Then, later, you can compose the rough draft," she said.

This allows for greater creativity without worrying about spelling details that can be cleared up at a later date.

In many of her Professional Writing computer labs, Crews watches her students as they produce on the computer so as to monitor their writings. Reading the computer screen is much less time-consuming than reading a typed paper.

Crews also encourages everyone interested in computers to get involved. Her advice: "One of the best ways to learn--in computer AND writing--is not by thinking about it or reading about it--but by actually DOING it!"

Spring Sports

Baseball, tennis, track, golf, and women's softball continue to bring a flood of sport's activities to the Wesson Campus.

Coach Mike McIntyre's tennis team, sporting a 12-0 record at this writing, is ranked 19th nationally. Wins have been over Millsaps, Okaloosa-Walton, Fla., East Central, Itawamba, Northeast, Gulf Coast, Delta, Meridian, Hinds, and Marion Military Institute, Ala.

Coach Randall Bradberry's track team placed second in the first meet.

Coach Steve Blackmon's baseball team and Coach Alton Greenlee's golf team continue to show improvement. Gwyn Young is the women's softball coach.

Daughdrill, Archie win 'outstanding' titles

By Harriet Vickers

Copiah-Lincoln Community College student Chris Archie of Bogue Chitto and Mathematics Division Chairman Dr. Roy Daughdrill have been selected by the college as the H. E. A. D. W. A. E. outstanding student and instructor for the district.

The two were honored recently during "Higher Education Appreciation Day- Working for Academic Excellence" (H.E.A.D.W.A.E.) which is sponsored by the state Legislature.

For the third year, the MIssissippi Legislature is honoring community college students and teacher who have exhibited excellence in academics.

Archie is a sophomore at Copiah-Lincoln Community College majoring in mechanical engineering.

At Co-Lin, Archie is active in several organizations and serves in leadership positions. He currently serves as chairman for the college's Phi Theta Kappa scholastic fraternity and plans most of PTK's activities. He is also the PTK regional president for Mississippi, Louisiana, and Tennessee.

As a member of the Baptist Student Union, Archie is the organization's missions chairman, raising funds to send college students as summer missionaries. He also coordinates BSU's visits to area nursing homes.

Archie also serves as vice president of Co-Lin's Phi Beta Lambda business fraternity. During his freshman year as PBL member, Archie and his project group placed first at the state conference and fifth in the nation.

A graduate of Bogue Chitto High School, Archie was named all-county and all-district in football, and he was also a member of the baseball team. Before Archie came to Bogue Chitto High School his senior year, he attended Topeka-Tilton High School in Jayees where he was secretary of the Beta Club, a class officer and a member of the Future Farmers of America and the newspaper staff. Archie also helped organize Topeka-Tilton's chapter of Students Against Drugs (SAD).

Archie was also named the National Guard Scholar Athlete in Lawrence County his junior year, and he was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students.

The 3.67 grade point average student plans to attend Mississippi State University. A member of the Bogue Chitto Baptist Church, Archie's favorite hobbies include flying remote control airplanes and wood-working.

Archie is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Darnell Archie, and he has two sisters, Elizabeth and Deborah.

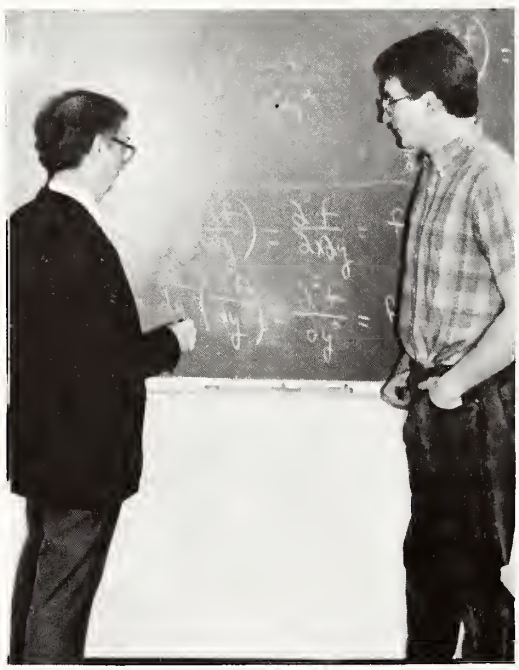
Daughdrill is currently serving as chairman of the mathematics division at Copiah-Lincoln Community College in Wesson, a position he has held since 1974.

He holds and A.A. from Co-Lin, a B.A. from the University of Southern Mississippi, a M.Ed. from Mississippi State University, and a Ph.D. from the University of Mississippi. He has also done additional study at Vanderbilt University and Jackson State University.

A member of the Co-Lin faculty since 1970, Daughdrill was named the college's outstanding instructor for 1985 and received the National Teaching Excellence award from the National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development (NISOD) this year. He also was named Star Teacher by the Mississippi Economic Council in 1970.

His professional activities include serving as chairman of Standard III-Educational Program for Co-Lin's self-study from 1983-85. He coordinated the establishment of a microcomputer curriculum and laboratories for the college's academic program and coordinated the establishment of a mastery learning individualized development math program at the college. He has also conducted several workshops for area teachers and has taught graduate level courses for the University of Southern Mississippi at the University Center in Jackson.

Daughdrill is a member of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, the Mathematical Association of America, and the Mississippi Council of Teachers of Mathematics, serving as junior college vice president for 1989-90. He also is active in the Mississippi Teachers of College Mathematics organization, the Mississippi Junior College Faculty Association, and Co-Lin's Education Association.



Dr. Roy Daughdrill and Chris Archie

Outstanding instructor, student

Those named to Who's Who Among American Junior College Students from Copiah-Lincoln Community College in Wesson are, first row left to right, Tracy Roberts, Bogue Chitto; Annette Sutton, Monticello; Victor Keys, Pinola; Julie Darden, Centreville; Nancy Myers, Brookhaven; Susan Roberts, Mt. Olive; Cindy Carr, Monticello; Tanya Halford, Meadville; Michael Blanton, Magee; Stan and Jeannie Michele Williams, Silver Creek. Second row, left to right, Mary Ann Martin and Michele Pitts, both of Wesson; Casey Campbell, Gloster; Schan Green, Natchez; Rhonda Sanders, Fayette; Jimmy Dell Woodard, New Hebron; Jennifer Holiday, Hazlehurst; Deanna Chance and Jeffrey Posey, both of Brookhaven; and Mary Womack, Wesson. Third row, left to right, Geddieth Davis, Natchez; Ken McCreary, Wesson; Sharon Walker, Albany, La.; Kurt Kirton, Terry; Kathy Dampeer, Magee; Brad Lawrence, Jayess; Tim Lott, New Hebron; Tracey Douglas, Brookhaven; and Reagan Brown, Wesson. Fourth row, left to right, Georgia Sims, Wesson; O. J. Strickland, Centreville; Chris Archie, Bogue Chitto; Jerry Huddleston, Natchez; Robert Huckaby, Wesson; Tim Flynt, New Hebron; and Chad Fisher, Bogue Chitto.

Chosen to Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges from the Natchez Campus are, front row, from left, Newt Conn and Mike Kolb, and back row, Cindy Roberts, Theresa Cole, Tammy McDaniel, Donna Stampley, Virginia Anderson, Carolyn Nolan and Rita Scott. Not pictured are Frankie Battiste, Tommy Pevey and Rosa White.

Project 95 to help bridge gap

By F.E. Games
Associate Editor, Wolf Tales

Project 95 connects a number of programs aimed at one macro purpose: to strengthen the academic bridge between high school and college by better preparing all Mississippi high school and college students for the challenge of a higher education and the modern work world.

Project 95 represents a very positive collaboration among the three boards that oversee public education in Mississippi, The Board of Trustees of Institutions of Higher Learning, The State Board for Community and Junior Colleges, and The State Board of Education.

The project itself includes numbers of programs, all sharing common aims to strengthen the educational opportunities for all students in Mississippi. In a nutshell, the project is aimed at seeing that Mississippi has an educated work force to compete in the twenty-first century.

According to Dr. Howell C. Garner, Dean of Instruction at Copiah-Lincoln Community College, "We're looking at a sincere effort from the three boards of education in Mississippi to address some important issues in a manner that will enhance the overall educational program in our state. It is a very powerful agenda."

In an effort to overcome Mississippi's deficiencies, Project 95 has proposed the following objectives:

1. Bridging the academic gap between high school and college, and accentuating teacher training and retraining with special emphasis on high schools.

2. Making university programs more accessible and attractive to minority students.

3. Strengthening college and university admissions requirements by the year 1995, placing a new emphasis on academic content.

Some of the projects it will embrace include: collaborative immigrants; Regional Financial Aid Publicity Campaign; Regional Financial Aid Workshops; Geometry Task Force/Computer Science Task Force; and other various programs.

A state advisory committee, consisting of members selected from across the state on all levels of education including K-12, community colleges, and institutions of higher learning, has been established to deal with the goals set for Project 95.

Ten community colleges representatives have been selected from around the state. Copiah-Lincoln had two selected: Dr. Howell C. Garner and Durr Walker, head of the Division of Humanities at Co-Lin.

At the first meeting, the committee worked out the specific objectives of Project 95, and addressed the overall goal in a capsule: make education more accessible to students and strengthen their minds according to Walker.

Copiah-Lincoln has also been one of five institutions in Mississippi selected to participate in "Career Beginnings" program.

Mississippi is in dire need of educational reform; and Project 95 is indeed a noble attempt toward identifying the educational weaknesses and finding solutions.

The future does look brighter with hope for students in our state; especially formerly overlooked minds, who unquestionably need something of Project 95's caliber.

Thumbs up and A plus to Project 95 as a plan; now only patience and time to see if it will work the way it is conceived.

Mr., Miss Co-Lin Wesson

Angela Lee and Tim Lott,

both of New Hebron

Natchez Campus tells happenings

By Mrs. Sandra Davidson, Acting Associate Dean

The annual meeting of the Association of Mississippi Junior College Counselors was hosted by Co-Lin and met in Natchez February 22-23. Leslie Shelton from Sand Hill Hospital in Gulfport addressed the group on gang identification and satan worship. Several state universities updated the group on their latest programs and Larry Hogue of Mississippi Power and Light was the featured speaker on Friday. The group particularly enjoyed a tour of the antebellum home, Longwood.

A seminar called "Women in Science and Technology" sponsored by Single Parent Homemaker Program at Co-Lin/Natchez, was held on March 7. Myra Washington, sponsor of the Single Parent Homemaker Program, cites the areas of business and computer technology, health education, electronics, engineering, math, and science as target areas traditionally low in women population. The seminar introduced and exposed young women to these nontraditional areas. Participants came from local high schools in the surrounding area.

Co-Lin/Natchez has recently been visible in two parades- the Christmas parade and the Mardi Gras parade through downtown Natchez. Student leaders were selected to participate in both events. The Wesson campus stage band was featured on the Mardi Gras float which bore a cartoon character theme.

Community Concert tickets were available to a limited number of Natchez campus students for two Natchez concerts: The Slovenian Mastersingers of Yugoslavia, who performed on November 8, and the Hauser Classical Guitar Duo, who performed January 14.

Dr. Joey Paul, instructor of math and computer science, has had two articles published in professional journals. Recently his article entitled, "In the Rule of 72- Why 72?" was selected for publication in Mathematics in College, a scholarly journal headquartered in New York. Last fall Dr. Paul was published in The College Mathematics Journal.

The Natchez campus has recently procured the services of a full-time maintenance supervisor. Carl Roberts, with 14 years experience with a local plumbing and electrical firm, supervises the physical plants at the Beltline and Washington sites.

David Armstrong, Natchez mayor, is currently serving on the adjunct faculty at the Natchez campus, teaching Oral Communications on Thursday nights.

A recent survey in the Natchez area revealed an interest among high school students in careers in the area of computers. The Career Awareness Explorer Program, a division of the Boy Scouts of America, sponsored the survey and has organized a chapter which helps young people explore careers. The group meet monthly at the Co-Lin/Natchez vocational-technical center.

An addition of six computers and a FAX machine to the Natchez campus has helped to update the communication capability of students and staff at the Natchez campus. The FAX machine, located in the library, can enhance the library's ability to provide interlibrary services to students, as well as send and receive documents for other offices on campus. Five of the six computers received are part of the full-service learning center being developed for implantation in fall of 1990. Students will be assisted on an individual basis with their learning needs through programmed study guides developed by instructors or purchased from textbook manufacturers.

Campus favorites elected by the student body on the Wesson Campus are, kneeling, left to right, John McCallum, Magee; David Montgomery, Bogue Chitto; Victor Green, Americus, Ga.; Robert Earl Dixon, Mendenhall; and Kip Rollins, Roxie. Standing, left to right, Dixi Williams,Natchez; Angela Morrow, Columbia; Lyndia Rutledge, Bogue Chitto; Allison Rutland, Jayees; and Merry McCoskey, Monticello.

Renovations help campus

by Rose Brown

Several renovation projects were completed on the Wesson Campus during last summer, including work on Lincoln Hall, Rea Auditorium, and several other facilities.

Dr. Billy Thames said, "I'm glad we were able to renovate these buildings last year. There has been a great need."

Lincoln Hall, which previously housed male students on campus, now houses the football team.

New drainage and air conditioning systems will be added to Rea Auditorium. These changes are part of what has been labeled the college's Phase I renovations. Phase II will follow next year.

The Fortenberry Building and Smith Hall will be equipped with elevators this year.

"These are designed not only for convenience, but to allow handicapped students more access on campus," Dr. Thames said.

The second floor of the Mutton Building and a part of the J. J. Wesson Building, which houses the new Industrial Systems Technology Program, are also completed.

Although upgrading of the college golf course is on the waiting list for next year, Stone Stadium and the football practice fields now boast new sprinkler systems.

Also, Dr. Howell Garner, dean of instruction, said the renovation of the Sandifer Communications Building was not a part of the overall renovations plans, but the feat was undertaken mainly, because of needed classroom space.

"This renovation provides the college's faculty with five additional office spaces, as well as, a conference room on the second floor for the Trillium and Wolf Tales staffs," he said.

Because of the growing field of computer science, a Computer Science Laboratory was also established in the Communications Building.

"Durr Walker, chairman of the Humanities Division, moved his office to the bottom floor, and the Humanities Division also located there," Dr, Garner said.

Funds for the renovation of the Sandifer Communications Building came out of a capital improvements fund controlled by the state government.

Dr. Garner said, "We feel very good about being able to utilize this space on our campus. We are continually assessing our abilities to service the needs of students and will take whatever actions necessary to make improvements."

The college's physical plant is carrying out much of the campus renovation work under the supervision of plant director Charles Burke.

The oldest alumnus attending recent homecoming festivities was John Terry, 87, of Hazlehurst. Not pictured is 87-year-old Lee Smith of Wesson who also attended.

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Those named to the Athletic Hall of Fame during homecoming were, from left to right, Don Hutson, Memphis, Tenn., accepting on behalf of his father, the late Marvin Hutson; M. T. "Tick" Tatum, Thibodaux, La.; Dewitt Shivers, Longboat Key, Fla.; and Fred "Rip" Taylor, Oxford. Not pictured is Frank Garner, Andalusia, Ala.

Homecoming set for October 6

Plans for homecoming on Saturday, October 6, were made by the Board of Directors of the Copiah-Lincoln Alumni Association at its March 20 meeting.

Rosemary P. Parker of Brookhaven, president of the Alumni Association, announced that reunions will be held that day for the classes of 1930, 1940. 1950, 1960, 1970, and 1980, for all former WWCL/WCLL-FM staff members and for all former administrators, instructors and staff members of the college.

A special 40th reunion for the 854th Medical Collecting Company, which was activated into service during the Korean War, will also be held during the homecoming weekend.

Other reunions may be added later, according to Burlian Walker, Executive Director Foundation/Alumni Affairs at Co-Lin.

"Co-Lin. The Place To Be Challenged" has been selected as the homecoming theme. Displays by campus clubs and organizations will depict the theme.

The annual tennis and golf tournaments will be held prior to or just after the homecoming event.

On homecoming day, the Athletic Alumni Association will hold its annual meeting at 9 a.m. J. Ronny Smith of Brookhaven, president of the group, states that those selected to the Athletic Hall of Fame will be inducted during the meeting. Wade Alexander of Wesson is vice-president and Charlotte Creely of Brookhaven is secretary.

Reunions will begin at 10 a.m. at the W.S. Henley Student Center.

Registration will be held at the Henley Student Center from 8:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. and at the stadium from 1:30 p.m. until halftime of the homecoming game.

The GOLD (Graduates of the Last Decade) Club will meet at 10:45 a.m. Lynn Jarrett of Meadville is president, with Stacey Reid of Hattiesburg as vice-president, and Chip Holbrook of Magee as secretary.

At the noon luncheon, the Alumnus of the Year and the Outstanding Instructors of the Year will be presented awards. Several groups and individuals will be recognized.

The presentation of the homecoming court will begin at 2 p.m. with the game between the Co-Lin and the Southwest Bears at 2:30 p.m. in Stone Stadium.

A reception for all graduates, former students, friends, and Co-Lin personnel will be held in the Henley cafeteria following the game.

In other action at the board meeting, Susan B. Berry of New Hebron, secretary-treasurer of the association read minutes of the previous meeting and game the financial statement.

Dr. Billy Thames, Co-Lin president, gave the welcome and Lester Furr of Wesson, president of the Copiah-Lincoln Foundation Inc., reported on progress of the "Investment in Excellence" campaign.

Parker reminded board members that nominations for Alumnus of the Year and for Outstanding Instructors of the Year are due by September 1 and that Athletic Hall of Fame nominees are due by July 1.

Others attending were Kay Rayborn of Jayess, vice-president of the alumni association; Horace Godbold of Bude, representing Franklin County; and Wiley Ainsworth of Magee, representing Simpson County.

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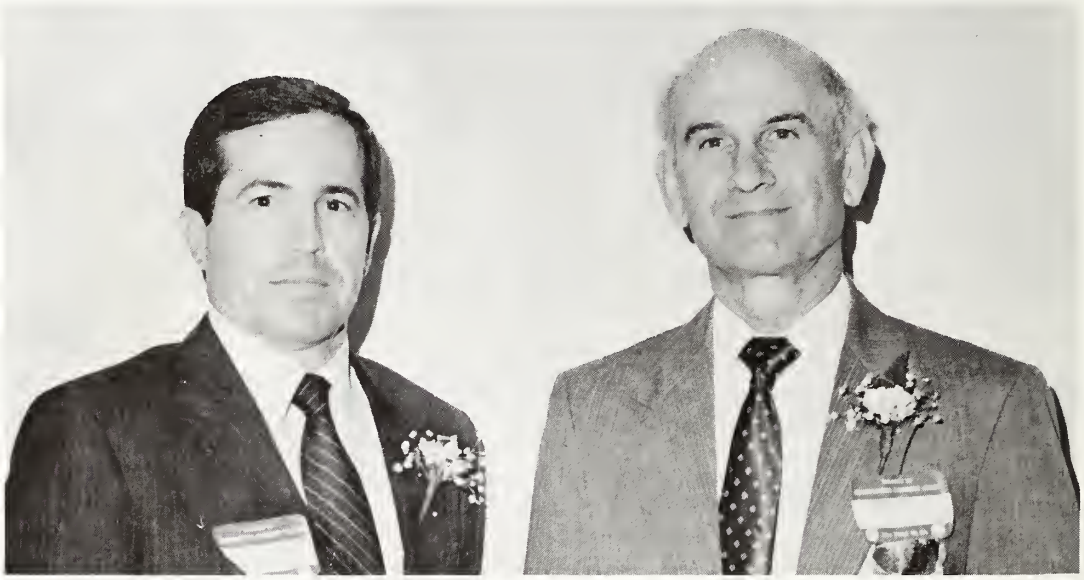
HOME-COMING 1989

Newly elected officers of the alumni association are, from left, Susan Buckley Berry, New Hebron, secretary; Kay Ballard Rayborn, Jayees, vice president; and Rosemary Prather Parker, Brookhaven, president. The officers were chosen at the alumni association meeting held during the college's homecoming.

Officers elected to head the Athletic Alumni Association are, from left, J. Ronny Smith, Brookhaven, president; and Wade Alexander, Wesson, vice president. Not pictured is Charlotte Creely, Brookhaven, secretary.



Newly elected officers of the Graduates of the Last Decade (Gold) Club are, from left, Stacey Reid, Centreville, vice president; Chip Hollbrook, Magee, secretary; and Lynn Jarrett, Meadville, president. The club met during homecoming festivities at Co-Lin.

Those attending the 1929 high school class reunion during homecoming were, from left to right, Tom Morrissey; Maudell Weeks, alumni affairs associate director; Maggie Ward Morrissey; and Frank Pitts. All are from Wesson. Pitts is currently a resident of Dallas, Texas.

Members of the 1939 Class who attended homecoming festivities are, seated, left to right, Annie Maude McCrillis, Crystal Springs; Althea Stone, Purvis; VIrginia Mikell Brinson, Prentiss; Irline Coen Hans and Elizabeth Gouldman Hunter, both of Jackson; and Katherine Decell Gabbert, Senatobia. Second row, left to right, Rupert Selman, Seafood, Va.; Rubye Brewer Hall, Newport Beach, Calif.; Nell Kinnebrew Smith, Clinton; Virgil Norris, Natchez; Dorothy H. Heaton, Bogue Chitto; Cadmus W. Shipp, Port Glbson; and Lilla Anderson Smith, Brookhaven. Third row, left to right, Phil Roberts, Bellaire, Texas; Sara Frances Herald, New Orleans, La.; Don Starnes, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Howard Tull, New Orleans, La.; C.C. Smith, Brookhaven; and Buddy Beall, Wesson.

Members of the Class of 1949 who attended homecoming are, first row, left to right, Pat Williamson Ponder and Hazel Walker Colvin, both of Mendenhall; Frankine Bullock Albritton, Starkville; Carmel Sullivan Carlisle, Morton; Doris Trimble Maxwell, Georgetown; Cherite Hardy Farmer Fleming, Crystal Springs; Mildred Mangum Kennedy, Magee; and Judy Kennedy Tarbutton, Jackson. Second row, left to right, James Allen Causey, Liberty; Mary Elizabeth Cliburn Putnam, Belden; Thomas Moak, Bogue Chitto; Charlie Williamson, Mendenhall; Robert C. Barrett, Baton Rouge, La.; James Lewis Garner, Pascagoula; Wiley Ainsworth, Magee; Fred Hartzog, Jackson; Rudolph Bell Jr., Crystal Springs; Unidentified; Nancy Wentworth Corley, Jackson. Not pictured, but attending, Jim Sinclair, Brookhaven; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Britt, Wesson; Jesse Carlos Case, Biloxi; and Arthur Frazier Mitchell, Crystal Springs.

Several members of the Class of 1959 attended homecoming.

The 1969 Class held its 20 year reunion during homecoming on the Wesson Campus. Those in attendance were, seated, left to right, Carolyn Castilaw Logan, Sharron Hailey Adams, and Sue Ray Windham, all of Brookhaven; and Nora Allen Berch, Wesson. Standing, left to right, David Temple, Vicksburg; Rosemary Prather Parker, Brookhaven; and Bradley Smith, Wesson. Not pictured, Laura Coghlan Williams, Wesson.

The Class of 1979 held a reunion on homecoming day. Those attending were, first row, left to right, Susan Givens Jones and Rhonda Reed Lyons, both of Brookhaven; Karen Jones Stein, Jackson; Donna Smith Jones, Richland; Ramona Higdon Smith, Wesson; Debbie Lowery Gates and Cabrina Delaughter Weeks, both of Brookhaven. Second row, left to right, Kenneth Gilbert, Baton Rouge, La.; Alisa Smith, Brookhaven; Tony Mullins, Natchitoches, La.; Jamie Jones, Brookhaven; Tommy Jolly, Monticello; Joy Wallace Joplin, Houston, Texas; Randy Emfinger and Roger Maddox, both of Brookhaven; Martha Gill Hill, Clinton; and Keith Lucas, Gulfport. Not pictured are Jeff Boyles, Ridgeland; Warren Stamps, Bogue Chitto; Robert Hamilton and Doris Finley Hamilton, both of Lake Charles, La.

The oldest class in attendance during homecoming was the high school class of 1922. Members of the class who were present were, from left to right, Eunice Yawn Hoyland, Natchez; Lolita Conerly Terry, Columbia; and Thelma Ashley Litton, Hazlehurst.

The alumnus traveling the greatest distance to homecoming was Rubye Brewer Hall of Newport Beach, Calif., right. Hall was welcomed by Alumni Association President Pat Hennington of Brookhaven.

Alumni of the Eta Omega Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa attended a PTK reunion during homecoming. Those returning for the reunion were seated, left to right, Stacey Tate, Natchez; Joye Jones and her son, Chip, Monticello; Glenda Hart and Joel Hammonds, both of Brookhaven; Rebecca Thames and Beth Hawkins, both of Wesson. Second row, left to right, Kevin Smith, Ridgeland; Stacey Reid, Centreville; Rickey Baker, Brookhaven; Angie Grayson, New Hebron; Kim Kelly, Wesson; Michael Osborne, Meadville; Chip Holbrook, Magee; Donna Moreland, Hazlehurst; Russell Ray, Eta Omega advisor; and J. P. McInnis, Wesson.

Attending the 1939 football team reunion were, from left , Daniel Ethelbert Albritton, Shreveport, La.; C. Harold Dickerson, Liberty; Melvin Waters, Clinton; Bill Beasley, Haven, Fla.; and George Gulledge, Natchez.

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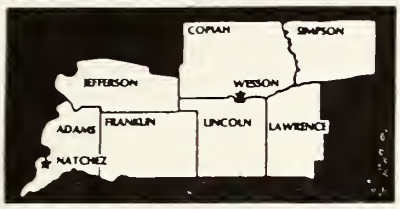

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